



The U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

“The U.S. Chamber applauds House Homeland Security Committee Chairman Michael McCaul for his commitment to strengthening America’s security and resilience against cyber threats. The National Cybersecurity Protection Advancement Act (NCPAA), which is expected to be marked up April 14 in the full committee, joins a number of cybersecurity information-sharing bills being considered by policymakers.

“The Chamber is advocating for legislation that gives businesses legal certainty that they have protection from liability when voluntarily sharing and receiving cyber threat indicators and defensive measures in real time, and taking actions to mitigate cyberattacks. The Chamber will work to ensure that legislation offers protections related to public disclosure, regulatory, and anti-trust matters in order to increase the timely exchange of information among public and private entities. Additionally, we believe it is important that NCPAA and other cyber bills safeguard privacy and civil liberties and establishes appropriate roles for civilian and intelligence agencies, which NCPAA does.

“The Chamber looks forward to reviewing the base bill and amendments after tomorrow’s markup to formally determine our organization’s support for the measure.”